

Docket No. 208366US6CONT  
 IN RE APPLICATION OF: Tomoko TERAKADO, et al.  
 SERIAL NO: 09/751,113  
 FILED: December 29, 2000  
 FOR: CONTROL DEVICE, CONTROL METHOD, ELECTRIC APPARATUS, CONTROL METHOD OF AN ELECTRIC APPARATUS, ELECTRIC APPARATUS SYSTEM, CONTROL METHOD OF AN ELECTRIC APPARATUS SYSTEM, AND TRANSMISSION MEDIUM



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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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- No additional fee is required
- Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.
- Additional documents filed herewith: Marked-Up Copy and Declaration of Common Ownership Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.104(a)(5)(iii)

The Fee has been calculated as shown below:

| CLAIMS   | CLAIMS REMAINING |       | HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID | NO. EXTRA CLAIMS | RATE      | CALCULATIONS |
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| TOTAL  | 66               | MINUS | 76                             | 0                | x \$18 =  | \$0.00       |
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AMENDMENT

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SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated October 30, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel Claims 36, 59, 73, 86, and 98 without prejudice or disclaimer.<sup>1</sup>

Please amend Claims 33, 47-49, 53-56, 83, and 95 as shown in clean form below:<sup>1</sup>

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33. (Twice Amended) A control device which controls, by transmitting a control signal, an electric apparatus including an extraction unit and an electric apparatus transmitting unit, said electric apparatus transmitting unit for transmitting additional

<sup>1</sup> A marked-up copy of the amendment is attached hereto.